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Dr. Edward L. Bowles metusetts avenue ridge, More,

Dear Dr. Bondess

I appreciate the continuing interpret in our estentific intelligence problem that motivated your sessent letter to me on the subject. There is no doubt in my mind as to the correctness of your view that the recently completed study, in which you participated, is only the first step in arriving at an everall solution of those problems. I also fully agree that we shall continue to require the support and assistance of outside scientific commultants, such as yourself, drawn from the reside of the leading professional specialists in this field.

I prefer, houseer, to have much consultation done on a secondard more clearly-defined basis than the employing informal survey suggested in your letter. For the present, I think that we should tay to benefit from the ste has been completed, by meding whether we can square may on a new energy, setting up new intervegency torms of reference. Then, as specific problems arise, or when the need is felt for another, more intensive survey of all or part of the scientific intelligence field, I should like to feel that I may call upon you for further medistance.

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